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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111  
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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Applicant is other than a small entity.

- (a) ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for other total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity
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Fee \$ 450.00

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefore.

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☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

☒ Extension fee due with this request \$ 450.00

OR

(b) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

#### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	8	Minus	21	= 0	x \$50 =	\$ 0
Independent Claims	1	Minus	2	= 0	x \$200 =	\$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMOUNT						\$ 0.00

(c) ☒ No additional fee for claims is required.

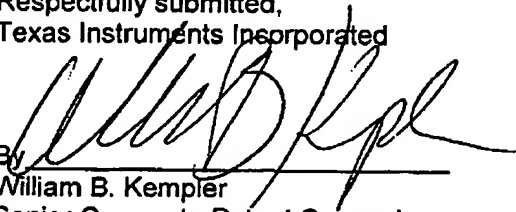
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(d) ☐ Total additional fee for claims required \$ 0.00

#### FEE PAYMENT

If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 20-0668 and/or if any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 20-0668. Two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
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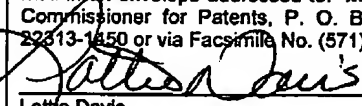
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on Page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims begin on Page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 7 of this paper.

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